

FIRST ONE OF POLICY CONFERENCES

President-Elect Has Great
Faith in Noted New
York Lawyer

BY JACK ROYLE

(STAFF CORRESPONDENT, N. Y. SERVICE)
MAISON, O., Dec. 10.—The first of the conferences which are expected to shape the international and domestic policies of the Harding administration, was held here today. Charles Evans Hughes, standard-bearer of the republican party in 1916, arrived early this morning to discuss with President-elect Harding the pressing questions which face the new chief executive. The distinguished visitor was driven at once to the Harding home where he joined Senator and Mrs. Harding at breakfast.

Then the two leaders sat down together to talk over in detail conditions both at home and abroad. Senator Harding, it is said, places great confidence not only in his opinion as an international lawyer, but in his ability to untangle complicated questions of economics and finance. For it is known that the conferences will deal with domestic as well as foreign problems. This has been clearly indicated by the close study made by the president-elect of the report of the secretary of the treasury and the deliberations of the house ways and means committee and of industrial conditions throughout the country.

Mr. Hughes is regarded by many in close touch with Senator Harding, not only as a cabinet possibility, but as a cabinet possibility. They declare that his record as governor of New York as a justice of the supreme court of the U. S. and as republican candidate for president would make him available for president and widely acceptable as secretary of state.

In addition to this "background," they assert that his views on many questions coincide closely with those of the man who will occupy the presidential chair for the next four years. With Senator Hughes, Elihu Root is ranked among the leading cabinet candidates.

Senator Harding, who plowed through a tremendous amount of accumulated correspondence yesterday, sought relief last night in a brisk walk, a long Christmas shopping excursion and a visit to the Marion club, where he chatted with old friends, who are accustomed to gather there.

Judge Hughes is the first of the men and women prominent in national affairs who are expected to come to Marion to aid Senator Harding with their counsel and advice. He will be followed Sunday by Herbert Hoover, Elihu Root and William Howard Taft are expected before the end of next week while Senators Hitchcock and Shields from the democratic ranks are expected to arrive in the future.

Developments in world politics, especially at Geneva, have lent added importance to the Hughes visit. He has been a deep student of the league of nations and his attitude toward that covenant is said closely to approach that of Senator Harding in many respects.

MARKETS

Allegheny	20
American Can	24 1/2
American Car and Foundry	135
American Locomotive	84
American Smelting	4 1/2
American Steel Foundry	25 1/2
American Tel. and Tel.	38 1/2
Anaconda	38 1/2
Baldwin Locomotive	91 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	33 1/2
Central Leather	28 1/2
Chesapeake and Ohio	20 1/2
Colorado Fuel	28 1/2
Consolidated Gas	70 1/2
Corn Products	65 1/2
Crescent Steel	89 1/2
Erie	13 1/2
General Electric	119 1/2
General Motors	14 1/2
Lackawanna Steel	32 1/2
Laclech Valley	49
Mexican Pete	169 1/2
Midvale Steel	31 1/2
N. Y. Air Brake	81
New York Central	11 1/2
Norfolk and Western	28 1/2

Fashion's Forecast
By Annabel Worthington.

LADY'S WAIST.

The collar of this striped blouse, No. 9632, decided to be of white material so that its very attractive outline might not be overlooked.

The lady's blouse, No. 9632, is cut to fit 36 to 42 inches bust measure. Size



It requires two yards 36-inch material and three-eighths yard 42-inch contrasting.

Limited space prevents showing all the styles. We will send our 32 page fashion magazine containing all the good, new styles, dressmaking hints, serial story, etc., for five cents postage prepaid, or three cents if ordered with a pattern. Send fifteen cents for magazine and pattern.

Pure Oil	22
Pressed Steel Car	81
Railway Steel Springs	84 1/2
Reading	85 1/2
Republic Iron and Steel	85
Southern Pacific	92 1/2
Southern Railway	21 1/2
Studebaker	42 1/2
Texas Co.	44
U. S. Steel	80 1/2
Westinghouse	42
Willys Overland	26
Sinclair Oil	25

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.
HOGS—Receipts, 22,000; market, 10 1/2

12 lower; bulk, \$9.40@9.50; top, \$9.63; heavy weight, \$9.40@9.50; medium weight, \$9.40@9.50; light weight, \$9.40@9.50; packing sows, smooth, \$9.35@9.50; packing sows, rough, \$9.10@9.35; pigs, \$8.50@9.50.

CATTLE—Receipts, 6,000; market, slow to lower.

Beef Steers—Choice and prime, \$12.50@13.50; medium and good, \$9.35@12.50; light weight, \$11.00@14.50; good and choice, \$11.00@14.50; common and medium, \$7.00@11.00.

Butcher Cattle—Heifers, \$4.75@11.00; cows, \$4.50@10.00; bulls, \$4.60@

9.00.
Canners and Cutters—Cows and heifers, \$3.35@4.50; canner steers, \$4.00@5.50; veal calves (light and heavy weight), \$3.50@10.00; feeder steers, \$3.50@10.00; stocker steers, \$4.50@8.75; stocker cows and heifers, \$4.50@8.75; Western Range Cattle—Beef steers, \$8.00@10.75; cows and heifers, \$5.25@8.75.

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No. 2 size can Red Pitted Cherries—in Syrup—3 for	75c
Dozen Cans \$2.90	
No. 3 Size can Wilson Spinach, 3 for	45c
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Scudder's Maple Syrup, pints	36c
Brer Rabbit Molasses, 5 lbs.	45c
Santa Clara Prunes, medium size, 5 lbs.	87c

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Cream of Wheat, 3 for	80c
Grape Nuts, 3 for	47c
Minute Tapioca, pound package	23c

LUX—3 Packages for 29c

White or Yellow Corn Meal, 10 lbs.	43c
16 oz. bottle Pure Catsup, 3 for	55c
Red Kidney Beans, new, 5 lbs. for	53c
Broken Head Rice, 10 lbs. for	88c
Pure Buckwheat Flour, 10 lb. bag	79c
Self Rising Pancake Flour, 10 lbs. for	79c
Orange Pekoe Tea, 60c quality, for	45c
Japan Tea, 60c quality for	45c
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BUTTER—Receipts, 2,785; creamery, extra, 18¢; firsts, 18¢@18 1/2¢; packing stock, 14¢@15¢.

EGGS—Receipts, 1,275 cases; current receipts, 62¢@64¢; ordinary fresh, 72¢@74¢; checks, 45¢@50¢; dried, 51¢@55¢.

CHEESE—Twins, new, 25¢; daisies, 23¢@24¢; young Americans, 25¢@26 1/2¢; longhorns, 25¢@26 1/2¢; bricks, 20¢.

LARD—No. 1, 24¢; No. 2, 23¢; No. 3, 22¢.

POTATOES—Receipts, 54 cars; Minnesota, \$1.35@1.45.

Death of Geo. P. Bunker

George P. Bunker, aged 70 years, died at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Julius H. Dunsing, 187 Carroll street, last night. He leaves a wife and daughter to mourn him. He had been ill for six months. He was spending the winter here and resided in Oklahoma City. The funeral will be from the residence at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning. The burial will be at Rose Hill in Chicago. Rev. Eliot of the M. E. church will officiate.

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JAP CABLES NEW BONE OF CONTENTION

BY J. BART CAMPBELL

(STAFF CORRESPONDENT, N. Y. SERVICE)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Japan's retention of the island of Yap cables will be the subject of a highly important conference between Acting Secretary of State Davis and the state foreign relations committee at the capitol today. It was announced by Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, republican of Massachusetts, chairman of the committee.

Behind Senator Lodge's announcement there lurks a delicate situation fraught with grave possibilities relative to the present and future relations between the U. S. and Japan.

While neither Lodge nor Davis discuss the situation resulting from Japan's insistence that she be permitted to retain two cables running from the island of Yap which she seized from Germany at the outset of the world war, it was learned authoritatively that both the state department and members of the senate foreign relations committee regard it as extremely grave.

When Japan took over the cables as "a war measure," one of them ran to Shanghai, and the other to the Celebes. Since then Japan has diverted the first cable so that it now runs to Tokyo, as well as to Shanghai. Considerable correspondence has passed between the state department and Japan recently regarding her avowed policy to hold on to the cables as a part of her spoils of war.

Daily Thought.

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